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SUBJ: BRAZILIAN AGRICULTURAL EXPORTS TO ROMANIA

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1. EXPORTS OF SOYBEANS AND PRODUCTS TO ROMANIA AND YUGOSLAVIA  
1973-1977 CONTAINED IN TABLE BELOW. 1977 DATA ARE FOR THE  
JANUARY-NOVEMBER PERIOD ONLY. EXPORTS IN METRIC TONS:

ROMANIA	1973	1974	1975	1976	1977
SOYBEANS	0	0	0	0	0
SOYBEAN MEAL	48,808	33,910	167,582	120,216	65,306
SOYBEAN OIL	0	0	3,750	0	0

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YUGOSLAVIA

SOYBEANS	0	0	0	0	0
SOYBEAN MEAL	142,986	91,188	152,101	404,298	211,723
SOYBEAN OIL	0	0	4,400	29,610	0

2. AN OFFICIAL IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE HAS INFORMED

US THAT ROMANIA HAS INDICATED STRONG INTEREST IN DEVELOPING A LONG TERM TRADE AGREEMENT WITH BRAZIL WHICH WOULD INVOLVE PURCHASE OF UP TO 150,000 TONS OF SOYBEAN MEAL EACH YEAR IN EXCHANGE FOR NITROGEN AND PHOSPHATE FERTILIZERS. BRAZIL MINAG PAULINELLI WAS INVITED TO GO TO ROMANIA IN NOVEMBER 1977 AFTER FAO CONFERENCE IN ROME TO DISCUSS THIS TRADE AGREEMENT BUT WAS UNABLE TO ACCEPT INVITATION AT THAT TIME. ACCORDING TO GOB OFFICIALS AND SOYBEAN TRADE SOURCES, BRAZIL IS ACTIVELY STEPPING UP EFFORTS TO EXPAND SOYBEAN PRODUCTS EXPORTS TO EASTERN EUROPE.

3. GOB OFFICIALS CONTINUE TO COMPLAIN ABOUT PREVIOUS CCC CREDIT SALES OF SOYBEANS TO POLAND WHICH AFFECTED BRAZILIAN EXPORTS AND IT IS LIKELY THAT SIMILAR COMPLAINTS WILL BE RAISED OVER THE PROPOSED SALE TO ROMANIA UNDER CCC (REFTEL). CRIMMINS UNQUOTE. CHRISTOPHER

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